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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Bernard T. Laybourn and Theodore W. Watler

Application No.: 10/616,176

Filed: July 8, 2003

For: System and Method For Managing

Prepaid Wireless Service

Examiner:

Art Unit:

NOTIFICATION OF POSSIBLE ERROR IN SMALL ENTITY STATUS AND PAYMENT OF LARGE ENTITY DISCREPANCY UNDER 37 CFR §1.28(c)

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Sir:

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/616,176 was filed on July 8, 2003 and claimed small entity status for its prosecution fees in good faith. The assignee of the above-referenced patent application, Telemac Corporation ("Telemac"), has significantly less than 500 employees and believes that it may well be entitled, both previously and presently, to claim small entity status. Nonetheless, since Telemac does not want any doubt about its claim to small entity status to affect the validity of its valuable patent rights, Telemac is hereby submitting the present Notification Of Possible Error In Small Entity Status pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.28(c)(1) and (c)(2).

In compliance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(c)(2), Telemac is submitting the following calculation and itemization of the discrepancy to be paid:

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## ITEMIZATION AND CALCULATION OF POSSIBLE DEFICIENCY

DATE FILED	TYPE OF FEE	SMALL FEE ACTUALLY PAID	APPLICABLE LARGE ENTITY FEE	DISCREPANCY TO BE PAID
7/8/03	Application filing fee- Utility	\$370.00	\$770.00	\$400.00

**TOTAL PAYMENT: \$400.00** 

In order to excuse any possible error in claiming small entity status for the above-referenced application, the undersigned hereby authorizes the Commissioner to deduct the total fees of \$400.00 from the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 20-1430. Please deduct any additional fees from, or credit any overpayment to, the above-noted Deposit Account. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Telemac understands that, under 37 CFR §1.27(g)(2) and §1.28(d), this submission is treated as a notification of loss of small entity status.

If the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office believes a telephone conference would expedite processing of this Notification, please telephone the undersigned at (415) 576-0200.

Respectfully submitted,

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